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5 On page 27, beginning on line 26, after "(b)" strike all material  
6 through "chapter." on line 38, and insert "Any person seeking to redeem  
7 an impounded vehicle under this section has a right to a hearing in the  
8 district or municipal court for the jurisdiction in which the vehicle  
9 was impounded to contest the validity of the impoundment or the amount  
10 of towing and storage charges. The district court has jurisdiction to  
11 determine the issues involving all impoundments including those  
12 authorized by the state or its agents. The municipal court has  
13 jurisdiction to determine the issues involving impoundments authorized  
14 by agents of the municipality. Any request for a hearing shall be made  
15 in writing on the form provided for that purpose and must be received  
16 by the district or municipal court within ten days of the date the  
17 opportunity was provided for in subsection (2)(a) of this section. At  
18 the time of the filing of the hearing request, the petitioner shall pay  
19 to the court clerk a filing fee in the same amount required for the  
20 filing of a suit in the small claims department of a district court.  
21 If the hearing request is not received by the district or municipal  
22 court within the ten-day period, the right to a hearing is waived and  
23 the registered owner is liable for any towing, storage, or other  
24 impoundment charges permitted under this chapter."

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28 On page 28, line 38, after "department, for" insert "the amount of  
29 the filing fee required by law for the impound hearing petition as well  
30 as"

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